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NEW YORK CITY SUFFERS

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(Special to The Times-Dispatch.) New York, February 14.—The great snowstorm that enveloped the East today was the worst in this section for several years.

Nine lives were lost when four barges broke adrift in Long Island Sound. The storm extended from Baltimore to the Adirondacks and came out of the Southwest.

Railroad traffic in the East was nearly paralyzed. Train schedules were abandoned by the railroads, which moved with the passenger trains.

Show in various sections ranged from eighteen inches to four feet, and drifts rendered New York streets impassable. The entire city suffered greatly through the breakdown of its suburban traffic.

Queens, Westchester, New Jersey and Staten Island commuters were hours reaching the city, or did not reach it at all.

The trolley and elevated traffic was crippled to an extent that placed the burden on the subway, where trains because of the crowd, crawled through the tube.

Incoming steamships that breached the storm and got inside the Hook were ships of ice. All reported terrible gales far out from land.

In some sections trolley cars were stalled with loads of passengers for hours until they were out.

Trains Snowbound. In the Adirondacks several trains were snowbound. In the Mohawk Valley not a wheel turned on the New York Central.

Albany seemed to mark the limit of travel. All points beyond reported snow from three to four feet, still falling to-night, and no trains in or out.

Veteran pilots and skippers declare that the gales that have stirred up the Atlantic during the past week have not been equaled in violence and continuity for more than twenty years.

Five big ocean passenger steamers have been kept out of port, and announced by wireless to their respective agents to-day that they would not be able to reach New York before late to-morrow or Monday morning.

The French liner Savoy, due to arrive in the morning, will not get here until Sunday. The Cunarder Campania, due to-day, sent word by wireless she would be in tomorrow, and the Hamburg-American liner Amerika, which in fine weather docks on Saturday afternoon, will not reach her pier before Monday noon. The American liner St. Paul and the steamer Pennsylvania sent the same reports.

Isolation Threatened. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Amsterdam, N. Y., February 14.—With thirty-six inches of snow on the ground and the fall continuing to-night this section is seriously threatened with complete isolation from other parts of the State.

Not a freight train on the New York Central has left or passed through Amsterdam since early morning, and the passenger service was discontinued to-night. The trolleys were put out of service early in the day, the streets being absolutely impassable.

Suburban traffic is in almost as serious a plight. Officials of the P. & O. Railroad, between Gloversville and Schenectady do not hold out hopes of re-establishing railway communication for at least twenty-four hours.

WANTS TO RELIEVE BANKS

Reimbursement for Them to Collect "Income at Source" Works Hardship. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Washington, February 14.—Representative J. Hampton Moore, of Philadelphia, presented to the House to-day a resolution requesting the Ways and Means Committee to change the income tax law to require only information as to "income at the source," and not "collection" of the tax incomes at the source.

The resolution states the law places a heavy burden on banks, corporations and financial institutions by requiring them without compensation to act as collection agencies for the government in the enforcement of the income tax law.

Mr. Moore suggests if the committee will not modify the law so as to require from such institutions only information as to incomes, it should perfect a plan of compensation for the performance of a public duty.

WOMAN JUMPS OVERBOARD

While Enroute With Husband's Ashes, Leaps From Ship. San Francisco, February 14.—Mrs. Charles H. Wood, wife of the late clubman and banker of San Francisco, who died at Agra, India, on December 6, jumped overboard from the steamer Iro Maru the first night out of Singapore, while enroute to Hong Kong with her husband's ashes. This information was received here to-day with the arrival of the trans-Pacific liner Tenyo Maru.

Prior to leaving Singapore Mrs. Wood had arranged with Mrs. Esther Richardson, a friend at Hong Kong, to obtain passage for her on the Tenyo Maru from Hong Kong to San Francisco when the Iro Maru put into Hong Kong. Mrs. Richardson learned from the captain a letter addressed to her, which was found in Mrs. Wood's stateroom. The letter said:

"After all, I shall not reach Hong Kong and see you, for I am going to look for my beloved. I cannot live without him."

"May I trouble you to forward my thanks to Mr. Wood's sister, Mrs. Charles Muscare, of San Francisco."

Mrs. Muscare and her husband were at the pier yesterday when the Tenyo Maru arrived, expecting to meet Mrs. Wood. Several hours later Mrs. Mus-

THEY BELIEVE IN PE-RU-NA, THEY HAVE TRIED IT.



Chronic Stomach Trouble. Mrs. C. C. Ingram, R. R. 3, Trenton, Tenn., writes: "I think no medicine like Peruna. Being afflicted with stomach trouble about thirty years and have taken so much medicine for it and found nothing like Peruna. My weight before taking Peruna was about one hundred and twenty-five pounds, and I was so weak I could do scarcely anything. Now I am much better and weigh one hundred and forty-five pounds."

Catarrh of Stomach. Mrs. Mary Depper, R. R. 3, La Crosse, Wis., writes: "I cannot too highly recommend your preparation for the relief of catarrhal troubles in various forms."

"I can truly recommend Peruna as the best remedy for catarrh of the stomach. You advised a treatment which I took until I felt well again. I was glad to know of something which would relieve me, and in a little over three months Peruna had successfully rid my system of all traces of catarrh."

"I therefore take great pleasure in wishing you every success."

Catarrh of Throat. Mrs. Charles Atkinson, Pine City, Minn., writes that she had catarrh of the throat for nearly three months, and used different medicines to no purpose. A friend advised Peruna, and after taking two bottles she was cured.

Now Perfectly Healthy. Mrs. Magdalena Winkler, 137 E. Main St., Westminster, Md., writes: "I thank you very much for your advice. I can safely say that Peruna and Manalin have saved my life."

"When I wrote to you the first time, asking your advice, my condition was so poor that I did not expect to live through the winter, but now I am perfectly healthy."

"I cannot praise your medicine enough, and I recommend it to others."

Peruna Restored Health. Mr. C. A. Reustrom, 3 Wash Ave., Salt Lake City, Utah, writes: "Your medicine, Peruna, has completely cured me of a long-standing case of catarrh."

"I suffered untold agony, but to-day I feel as spry as any one, with more ambition and confidence in myself than I have enjoyed for years. All my friends say I look better than ever before."

"Your Peruna is the greatest tonic and builder for a broken-down constitution arising from that dreadful disease, catarrh."

was received a letter that had been written by Mrs. Richardson enclosing Mrs. Wood's letter to her and relating the circumstances of Mrs. Wood's fate.

Foreign Residents Safe. Panama, February 14.—All foreign residents in Esmeraldas, Ecuador, are safe, according to information reaching here to-day from Guayaquil. The foreign consulates were declared neutral territory during fighting between government troops and rebels. The agreement was respected, except in the case of the cable office and the British consulate, which were burned.

ARRESTED IN KNOXVILLE

Man Wanted in Syracuse for Embezzlement Admits Identity. Knoxville, Tenn., February 14.—Benjamin R. Round, wanted for embezzlement of \$15,000 at Syracuse, N. Y., from an express company, to-day is under arrest here. He has been in Knoxville several days, going under the name of Edward P. Godfrey. He had bought and paid for a new automobile on January 29, and has been officers say he not only admitted his identity, but also admitted having taken the money.

CONDITION NOT SERIOUS

President Will Be Able to Return to His Work on Monday. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Washington, February 14.—Unfavorable in official circles that President Wilson's illness was more serious than at first supposed was responsible for a statement to-day by Dr. Cary Grayson, the President's physician, that he would be able to return to his work on Monday.

The report was circulated that the President, in addition to the bad cold which had lodged in his throat, was suffering from hardening of the arteries, and was in worse condition than had been announced.

"The report that the President is suffering from anything but a bad cold," said Dr. Grayson, "is utterly without foundation. The President was able to sit up this afternoon, and undoubtedly could have arisen if it had been necessary."

"He will be at his desk on Monday unless some unforeseen setback occurs. There is absolutely nothing about his condition which should give rise to alarm."

ENLISTS AID OF COLLECTORS

Osborn Will Forward to Each Section Queries on Income Tax Law. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Washington, February 14.—Commissioner of Internal Revenue Osborn has been swamped with mail from all parts of the United States, asking enlightenment on the income tax law. His office is working night and day to keep up with the great mass of correspondence, and the legal department is going at full blast.

To-day the commissioner decided it a task too gigantic for his local force, and has enlisted the collectors throughout the country in the work. He issued an order advising the collectors that all the mail from their particular sections would be forwarded them to answer.

INVESTIGATION ENDS

Action on Allied Printing Trades Council to Be Decided To-day. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) New York, February 14.—United States District Attorney Marshall's grand jury investigation of the Allied Printing Trades Council of New York, on the ground it was an organization in restraint of trade, was closed to-day.

In Washington to-morrow United States Assistant Attorney Harold Harper will hold an important conference

Catarrh for Two Years. Mr. Glenn Bogardus, 610 Jefferson Street, Jamestown, New York, writes: "I have been troubled with my stomach for two years, and have doctored with a good many doctors and took all kinds of stomach medicine, and could not get any relief until I got a bottle of your wonderful Peruna and took three bottles, and will say that to-day I am entirely cured. I will say Peruna is the best thing to break up a cold I ever took. I only took three table-spoonfuls of Peruna and my cold was all gone."

Head and Lungs. Mr. William E. Gullette, R. F. D. 2, Xenia, Ohio, writes: "After being sick for six or seven years I am more than glad to say that Peruna is better than any medicine I have ever taken."

"In the past twelve months it has cured me sound and well of catarrh of the head and lungs in its worst stage."

"I can recommend it to all of the world as being one of the best medicines on earth."

Peruna a Household Friend. Chronic catarrh is a disease which is very prevalent. Peruna is a remedy for chronic catarrh, and is an immense saving to the people. Peruna is a household friend in more than a million homes. This number is increasing every day.

Condition Improved. New York, February 14.—The condition to-day of Colonel James O'Shaughnessy, seventy-seven years old, father of Nelson O'Shaughnessy, American charge d'affaires at Mexico City, was improved. He is suffering with pneumonia at a hotel here. The younger O'Shaughnessy called yesterday that he would be unable to leave his post at Mexico City.

Safeguarded Interests of Indians. Washington, February 14.—A proposal to re-establish the system of district agents to safeguard the interests of Indians in the West to-day was made by Representative Carter, of Oklahoma, during the debate on the Indian appropriation bill. The agents were abolished two years ago.

Store Is Destroyed. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Bedford City, Va., February 14.—The grocery store of George Miller, Jr., caught on fire yesterday and was virtually destroyed. Much of the stock was saved.

Greatly Enjoys Coasting. Mrs. Hager, on Nineteenth Birthday, Shows How Active She Is. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) New York, February 14.—As a way of celebrating her nineteenth birthday, and to demonstrate her activity, Mrs. Helen A. Hager, formerly known as "Aunt Helen" at Hackettstown, N. J., went coasting this afternoon with a number of children, and said she enjoyed it immensely. She climbed the steep hills with less apparent trouble than the young ones.

Lewis Will Lead Fight

Protests Against Lodging Control of Parcel Post With Congress. (Special to The Times-Dispatch.) Washington, February 14.—A bitter attack was made to-day upon the proposal of the Senate Post-Office Committee to take control of the parcel post out of the hands of the Postmaster-General and lodge it with Congress.

"I would rather see the parcel post act repealed than to see Congress take away its power to compete with the express companies," said Representative David J. Lewis, of Maryland, in opposition to the parcel post in the House. "That is what it would mean to write into law the Senate committee provision that rates, zones, weight limits, etc. shall not be changed except by law."

Representative Lewis will lead the fight against the amendment on the floor of the House, should it be adopted by the Senate.

Read This Testimony and Judge for Yourself. Mrs. Mary E. Trenor, living at 615 Fourth Avenue, N. W., Roanoke, Va., had been suffering for many years from complication of diseases, such as catarrh, stomach, kidney and bladder troubles, also rheumatism. She had severe headaches, and had throat and bronchial trouble so bad that she would take coughing spells, and would cough half an hour at a time. She was not able to rest at night on account of the coughing spells. Her stomach became so bad that she could scarcely eat anything at all, and caused her great misery. Her kidneys and bladder caused her untold suffering, and she had pains in the back, bowels, sides and chest, and her rheumatism troubled her very much. She had pains

and soreness in the arms and limbs, and was in such a weak, rundown condition that she could scarcely get from the house out into the yard. Mrs. Trenor said: "I have spent hundreds of dollars trying all the different remedies that I could buy, but all that I tried did not seem to reach my case. I was getting weaker and weaker all the time, and about given up all hopes of ever getting any relief from my misery, when a friend of mine told me about the great Quaker Remedies at Humphries & Weber's drug store that he had been using and of the great benefit received from them, and he advised me at least to give them a trial. I told him that I was not able to call on him, and he said he would bring a bottle of the Quaker Herb Extract to me if I would give it a trial. This I consented to do, and am now

thankful that I did. After taking one bottle I was able to walk from home to the drug store to tell what the Quaker Herb Extract has done for me."

"I scarcely have any cough at all now, my appetite is much better, my pains and aches are all gone, and I am in a stronger and healthier condition than I have been for many a year. I want to praise the Quaker Herb Extract and recommend it to any one suffering from any complaints that I have suffered from."

If you are suffering from catarrh, stomach, liver, kidney and bladder troubles, or rheumatism, male or female, or any kind of ailment, or worms of any kind, to call at Trangle drug store, 817 East Broad Street, and obtain Quaker Herb Extract, six bottles for \$5.00, three for \$2.50, or \$1.00 a bottle. Oil of Balm, for all aches or pains, 50 cents.—Advertisement.

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